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Examiner: A. M. Harris

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Dear Sir:

INTRODUCTORY COMMENTS

AMENDMENT IN RESPONSE TO NON-FINAL OFFICE ACTION

In response to the Office Action dated August 9, 2007, please amend the above-identified U.S. patent application as follows:

Amendments to the Claims begin on page 2 of this paper.

Remarks/Arguments begin on page 9 of this paper.